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For : ELECTROMAGNETIC LOCK PROVIDED WITH A SLIDING BOLT FOR
A SWINGING-TYPE DOOR

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the following information is brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration during examination of the instant application.

Applicant submits herewith a copy of an International Search Report (in English) dated June 2, 2005 and conducted in International Application No. PCT/FR2005/000054, which is a counterpart of the instant application. In particular the International Examiner cited:

- (1) GB 177,176;
- (2) GB 225,254; and
- (3) FR 2 720 779.

Copies of the above-listed documents, with the exception of the International Search
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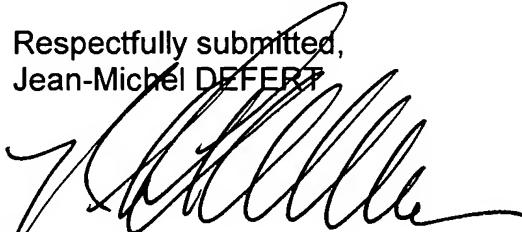
Report which was filed with the instant application, are enclosed. A completed copy of the PTO-1449 Form listing all of these documents is also enclosed. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to indicate such consideration by returning a signed and initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form with the first official communication.

Applicant notes that this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of a US application and/or before receipt of an Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed document is required under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(1) and (3).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to refund excess payments and charge any additional fee necessary to have this paper entered to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any further comments or questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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